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In re Application of:

Christian HARDY et al.

Group Art Unit: 2182

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Examiner: Harold J. Kim

For: PROGRAMMABLE ADAPTER DEVICE
FOR COMMUNICATION PROTOCOLS

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 13, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows: